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Town Council Sets Property Tax

$2.115 To Be Paid On Each $100

An ordinance authorizing the levy for 1939 of a tax on Greenbelt real and personal property amounting to $2.115 on each $100 of assessed valuation was adopted by the Council at its meeting last Monday. This tax will apply to automobiles and will average an estimated $3.30 per family unit.

A letter from the Postmaster General's office in answer to a resolution passed some time ago by the Council, indicated that house-to-house mail delivery service could not be expected in Greenbelt until the local post office transacted much more business than it is now doing.

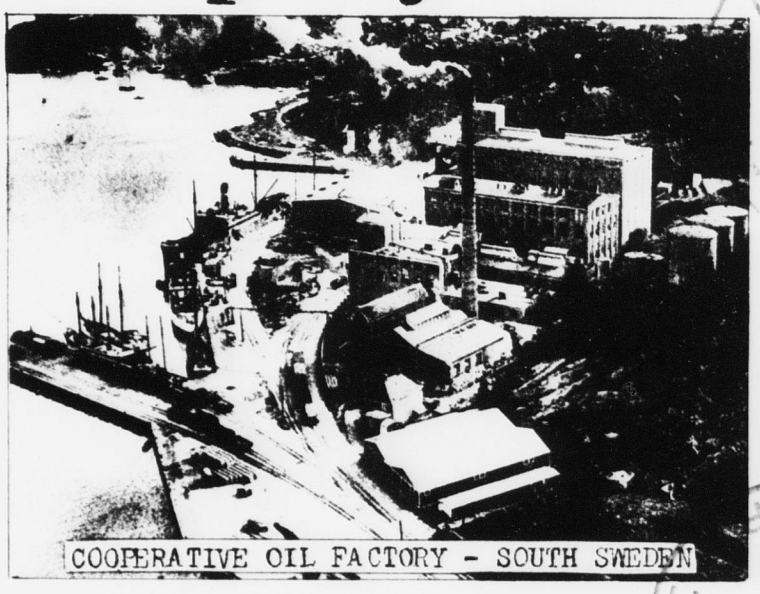
The Council authorized the Manager to procede with the taking of the Town Census, appropriation of $150 for which had previously been made, and plans for which are now completed. The census will probably be taken early in March.

The ordinance requiring Greenbelt families to report births and deaths within ten days, and providing for fines ranging from two to twenty-five dollars to those who fail to comply, was given its second reading and adopted.

Sometime was spent by the Manager reporting on the various Town activities. In the course of his comments the Manager urged all citizens to look for lost articles at the Town's Lost and Found department, where there are many articles awaiting their owners. The activities of the local police as reported were surprisingly varied ranging from driving the school bus to supervising sleigh-ways.

Preliminary plans for the Municipal Hospitals previously authorized were presented by the Manager and approved. These were drawn up in agreement with Dr. McCarl and the Health Association and with professional advice.

Present were members of Council Maurer, East, Bessemer, Morrison, Taylor; Manager Braden, Clerk McCamy, Treasurer Rabbitt, Director of Public Safety Mabee, and Engineer Vincent.



COOPERATIVE OIL FACTORY - SOUTH SWEDEN

Mother's Club Offers Varied Program Tonight

8:00 P. M. Social Room

Bring ideas and questions for future programs. Hostesses for February meeting are - Mrs. DeJager, Mrs. Dodson, Mrs. Colliver, Mrs. Welsh, Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Downs.

1. Talk - "Some of the Resources of our own Community which Contribute to the Socializing Experiences of our Youth," by Mr. Mabee.
2. Piano Solo - Mrs. O'Brien.
3. "The Fast Changing Job of Parenthood" - by Mrs. Dodson. Discussion by all.

SATURDAY IS DOUBLE BIRTHDAY IN GREENBELT

The Bob Baughmans and Bernard Axelrods both made additions to their families on Saturday, Feb.12. Eugene, 7 lbs., 10 ounces, becomes heir to the Axelrod fortune, and the other an 8 lb. boy, at this writing unnamed, will hold down at the Baughmans..

Greenbelt Five Decisive Victors Over P W A

The Greenbelt Athletic Club basketeers scored a smashing 53 to 37 victory over an alert P.W.A. team last Saturday night at the school gym before capacity crowd.

Paced by Giersch, who scored 13 points, and Cain, who accounted for 11, Greenbelt led all the way, and completely outclassed the boys from Washington. During the first half, P.W.A. kept up with our boys and were only behind 14 to 22 at half-time, but in the second half P.W.A. got careless and started throwing long passes. It was during this time that Greish intercepted 5 of these passes and converted them into 10 points within the short space of a minute. P.W.A.'s big scoring quarter was the last when they tallied 19 points, more than they had scored in the first three quarters. High man for P.W.A. was Konopka who scored 14 points.

In the preliminary game the Greenbelt Boys Club again took the measure of the Colonial Village Boys Club this time by a score of 30 to 23 in a very fast interesting game. Provost, of Greenbelt, was high man of the game with 17 points.

J.C.M.

GREENBELT	POS	G	F	PTS	PWA	POS	G	F	PTS
Abrahims	F	3	0	6	Garrison	F	2	2	6
Wurl	F	0	0	0	Konopka	F	6	2	14
Cain	F	5	1	11	Hobson	C	5	0	10
Blanchard	C	3	1	7	Lenhart	G	0	0	0
Marack	C	2	0	4	Heller	G	0	0	0
Bozek	G	1	0	2	Wobbel	G	0	0	0
Giersch	G	6	1	13	Wright	G	3	1	7
Barker	G	2	0	4					
Holochwost	G	3	0	6					
Totals		25	3	53			16	5	37

Referee: Uhrinak

Meditations

by
Robert Lee Kincheloe
Minister to the
Greenbelt Community Church

We are attempting to enumerate various suggestions to be followed in setting up for ourselves a method of meditation. Last week we discussed the First Step which was that of Preparation through physical relaxation, active imagination, affirmations concerning the nearness of God and Jesus, confession of our wrongdoings, and a definite theme or problem to work out. At this time we go on to the Second Step--that of Consideration. There are several suggestions worthy of our attention that fall under this step:

1) The mental powers must be active, the mind clear and agile.
2) Entertain all possible considerations of the chosen theme or problem. Attempt to look at it from all angles that it may be clearly and forcefully outlined to the mind. Deal in facts and reasons that are pointed to avoid vagueness in generalities.
3) One of the greatest detriments to consideration is hurry. Most of us cannot think deeply and extensively in a rush. The time element at this stage of the meditative period is decidedly an important factor. Another detriment is fatigue, and thinking of this type obviously cannot succeed with tired faculties.

HEBREW CONGREGATION

The Hebrew Congregation will meet tomorrow night Feb. 17th at 8:30 P.M. in the Music Room of the Elementary School. Mr. Leon Ellsberg will conduct the services.

The theme of his sermon will be "Behind the Mask of the War Mongers." All are invited to attend.

At the last services, Mr. Ellsberg devoted his sermon to a eulogy of the late Pope Pius XI and his fight for minorities. He announced that a telegram expressing the condolences of the congregation had been sent to Rev. L.J.Fealey, Pastor of the Catholic Church in Greenbelt.

For The
WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY BALL

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BRIDGE NEWS

The "Duplicate Club" enjoyed another evening of bridge February 7 with sixteen people cudgeling their brains in an effort to reign supreme. Mr. Nevius reports that he spent six days and six nights studying "how to play bridge" and it certainly brought results, as witness the top score made by him and his partner, Miss Scribner.

The "Big Four" this night was as follows:

	M.P.	HANDICAP	TOTAL
1-Mr. Nevius and Miss Scribner	40	3%-1.89	38.11
2-Mrs. Daniels and Mrs. Mathers	37.5	5%-3.15	34.35
3-Mrs. Green and Mrs. Havens	36.5	5%-3.15	33.35
4-Mr.Pinkney and Mr.Lieberman	34.5	2%-1.26	33.24

The next meeting will be in the "Manual Training Room" at the school on Tuesday evening, February 21, at 8:00 P.M.

The Catholic ladies are sponsoring an informal Pre-Lenten party for the Catholic people of Greenbelt to be held in the social room of the community school on the eve of February 21. Entertainment and refreshments will feature the program which will follow the Mardi Gras tradition. According to which Shrove Tuesday (the last day preceeding Lent) is devoted to merry making celebration.

GREENBELT
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THE BARGAIN TABLE

PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY BALL SUCCESS

On February 28th, in the School auditorium, Greenbelt celebrated the annual President's Birthday Ball, for the drive for funds for the campaign against infantile paralysis.

The new 50-50 Financial Plan is herewith stated so that the people of Greenbelt will understand how it works.

1. The local chairmen send all of the net proceeds from these activities to the county chairmen.
2. The county chairmen after receiving the net proceeds from the local chairmen -
   First - deduct expenses for organizing the county.
   Second - divide the total balance on the 50-50 basis.
   (a) 50 per cent is retained by the county chairmen in trust for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Inc., to be turned over to the new Chapter embracing such county as soon as it can be organized after January 30, 1939.
   (b) 50 per cent is then sent to the Committee for the celebration of the President's Birthday for presentation to the National Foundation.

The entire committee wishes to show their appreciation and thanks for the support given by the people of Greenbelt and their cooperation in making this affair a success and a credit to the local community.

PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY BALL COMMITTEE

DETAILED REPORT
PRESIDENT'S BIRTHDAY BALL COMMITTEE
Greenbelt, Md.

INCOME		
83 tickets sold at the door		$ 62.25
102 " " by the Legion		76.50
14 " " " " Citizens Association		10.50
12 " " " " Athletic Association		9.00
6 " " " " P.T.A.		4.50
4 " " " " Holy Name Society		3.00
MILE OF DIMES		
Mothers Club		1.00
P.T.A.		.60
Drug Store		.60
Food Store		1.31
OTHER SOURCES		
Hat and Coat Check		3.65
Refreshments		5.70
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$178.61
EXPENSES		
Music	$60.00	
Decorations	14.00	
Lamps colored	1.20	
Janitor Service	10.00	
Advertising	4.00	
TOTAL EXPENSES	$89.20	89.20
NET PROFIT		$ 89.41

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Rambling

By George F. Carnes

Our new Doc seems to have that good old country doctor spirit which is good to see. Arriving in Greenbelt at 5:30 Friday afternoon, and right in the midst of an epidemic of chicken pox and grippe, Doctor Berenberg grabbed himself some vittles from Les Atkins' table and set out to administer balm to the suffering. Trudging thru the rain with nothing but a map and a general idea that the town was shaped like a horseshoe, the good doctor was beginning to take on the aspect of a man who has taken a shower without bothering about clothes when he was espied by Sherrod East. Brother East, having once been a member of the Boy Scouts, decided to do a good deed for the day and straight-way piled the Medico into his limousine. Between the two of them they managed to alleviate the suffering of about 8 or 9 patients.

It may be that a thing of beauty is a joy forever. But when a thing of beauty is obscured by a thing of incongruity, then comes confusion. Take the present day style in women's hats. To see the woman of your choice suddenly appear before you wearing something which looks like a cross between a stovepipe and an inverted lamp shade with a couple of flap-jacks thrown in at random, is to see the orderliness of your whole little universe turned upside down and scattered to the four corners of the world. Nothing, unless it be the business end of a brick, can as completely stun a man into insensibility and tear down his faith in human nature as the sight of one of these head-whirling top-pieces fostered on womankind by some unkind stylist. However, I don't believe that women should be held responsible for this awful thing. I am fully convinced that some man who has suffered terrible injury at the hand of femininity is trying to revenge himself upon the sex.

Comforting is the thought that Shoe Wearing Season will soon be over. We boys who hail from Dixie never reconcile ourselves to these longer winters which force us to keep our shoes on long after the folks back home are scratching around in the sand with their bare toes! (Washington papers take note).

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A Policy to Insure Effective Management

Last week at a hearing before the Monopoly Committee, two persons representing themselves as agents of the Metropolitan Insurance Company, testified that "forging" names of policy holders on ballots to elect officers of that company was a "common practice."

One of these persons, Edward Schurr, stated that agents traded signatures and signed ballots when policy holders were against officials on the company's ticket.

Although it is beyond comprehension that such methods are usual, this testimony must have come as a distinct shock to those simple souls who have been led to believe that a "mutual" insurance company provides the machinery whereby its policy holders can, if they desire, have a voice in the choice of their management.

The cooperative principle which provides that members must vote in person, not by proxy, definitely precludes the possibility of such "shenanigans" and insures the choice of a management amenable to the will of the majority of the membership.

G. A. W.

C.O.C. BOX SCORE

According to Treasurer's records at close of office hours, Friday, February 10:

Subscribers	440
Shares subscribed for	602
Shares fully paid for	75
Dwelling units represented	383
Dwelling units with at least one share fully paid for	48
Amount Deposited	$1705.

Letters to Editor

TO STOP RADIO INTERFERENCE

To the Editor:

Almost every hour in the day or evening, electrical disturbances are so bad as to make satisfactory radio reception intolerable in most of Greenbelt. During the past week I have heard complaints from people who live in widely separated parts of town. A local radio man has over 200 complaints from our residents on file, listing specific interferences.

The problem is not an insoluble one, From what I have been told by others who have studied the local situation, and from my own knowledge of interference in general, it seems fairly obvious that most of the interference is caused by various electrical devices used regularly in our homes or in the town. This interference can all be done away with at a very nominal expense for each device causing trouble.

Therefore I propose that the people who are interested in taking an active part in eradicating this nuisance constitute themselves a committee to work out practical solutions to it. I suggest that we meet together in the near future to plan a positive program for immediate action. Anyone who is interested can phone mo or write to me, and if there is sufficient response we can hold our meeting at once.

Edward Walther
35 L Ridge Road
Phone 3222

SOME MORE SIGNS

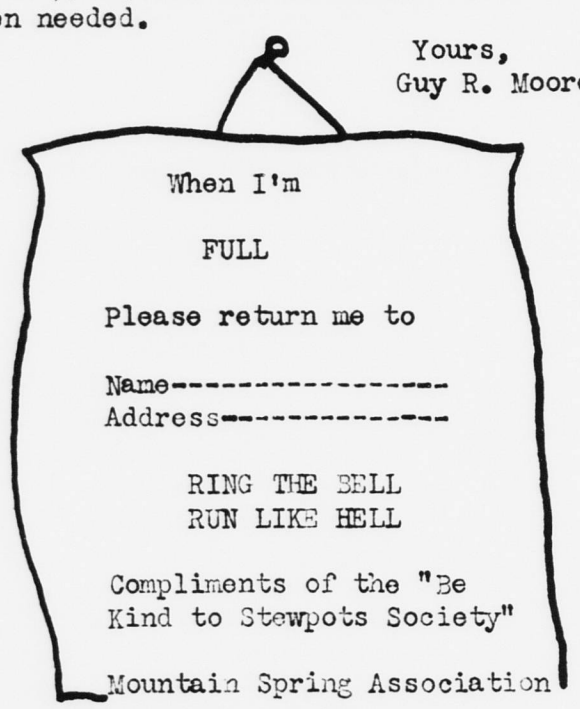
To the Editor:

The enclosed card was given to me some time ago but has never been used.

The recent publication of "signs" attached to children reminded me of this one which would, of course, be used by one of their parents.

It might, however, be an act of kindness to pass it along to some of your readers. I do not think the idea is copyrighted so it should be safe to use the tag when needed.

Yours,
Guy R. Moore



ASSOCIATION DANCES

Price Hatley's Greenbelt Orchestra will furnish music for the George Washington Birthday Dance to be given Feb. 21 by the Citizens Association. Tickets at 12½¢ per foot may be obtained from any member of the Executive Committee.

Put this date on your calendar and look forward to a night of neighborliness, music, wholesome recreation, enjoyment, and a chance to help the treasury of your Citizens Assocition - - We hope.

Salt o ' the Earth

by
Dorothy Salter

Personal nomination for the limelight this week are the "Greenbelt husbands". "Just between us girls" I think Greenbelt has produced a "rare species". For minding the babies, doing the marketing, washing the windows, waxing the floors, and even helping with the weekly wash, we just ought to give the "devils their due"!!

Here's hoping this little commendation doesn't go to their heads. If it does a sure cure would be an extra floor to wax, a window to wash - you know ----

If you should happen to run into Mr. A. R.Conover of 17-F Parkway and he should be wearing a big broad grin - here's a tip - he has a brand new baby girl!

Two familiar faces which will be greatly missed around Greenbelt, are those of Mr. and Mrs. Max Hayes of 27-B Ridge Road who are being transferred to San Francisco the 16th. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes are both prominent around the town. Mrs. Hayes is musically inclined, sings and plays the piano. She is very active in her church and also the Mother's club. Happy Landing.

A scourge has hit this fair community. It has transformed our "cherubic looking children" into semblances of wildest Indians in full warpaint! If you should see a mottled face gazing wistfully out the window don't be alarmed. It's just that the younger generation is down with chicken pox!!

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Goodman, 1-E Westway, who celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary Saturday. Many happy returns!

Mrs. Mabel Lelan of Kenyon, Minnesota is stopping with her daughter Mrs. Robert Jacobsen, 1-C Gardenway for three weeks. Mrs. Lelan is en route to Florida. Mr. Jacobsen was called to Minneapolis Tuesday, February 7 because of the death of his Father. He will return to Greenbelt Saturday, February 18. We wish to extend our sympathy.

Master Richard Bishop of 52-F Crescent Road, has been confined to his home with a severe case of grippe.

"Les Huit" held its weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Jane Pruitt, 7-F Parkway, Friday night. Two new members were present, Mrs. Thelma Snyder and Mrs. Charles Wright, both of Crescent Road. Games and sewing furnished amusement throughout the evening, after which Mrs. Pruitt served delicious refreshments. The club will meet with Mrs. Margaret Halloman, 34-B Crescent Road next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherrod East entertained at a beautifully appointed Valentine supper at their home 33-L Ridge Road Saturday night. Guests included, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Falls, formerly of Greenbelt, Mr. and Mrs. Gerhardt Crebs, and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Schein.

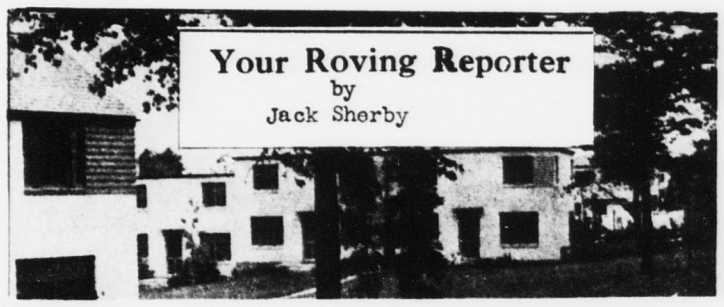
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reminick have both been quite ill at their home 3-J Eastway. Wishing you a speedy recovery!

The "Singles Club", recently organized, held a business meeting Monday night, February 6 at the home of Mr. Humphrey, 3 Forrestway. An election of officers was held and it was decided to have a business meeting the first Monday of every month and a social the third Friday. This club was organized for young "unmarrieds" between the ages of 19-30.

Mrs. Fordyce Lyman and daughter Beverly, 45-K Ridge Road have returned to Greenbelt after spending six weeks in Cleveland, Ohio, where they visited Mrs. Lyman's mother.

A card party under the auspices of the Catholic Church was held at the home of Mrs. John McCullom, 45-A Ridge Road, Friday night. Bridge and "500" were played. The ladies served lovely refreshments.

Mrs. Ed. Weitsman of 2-A Gardenway has been confined to here home this past week, having had the grippe. We wish you a speedy recovery!



QUESTION:
ARE YOU GOING TO HAVE A GARDEN THIS YEAR?

Mr. Edward O'Flaherty, 17-J Ridge Road. "No I am sure I will not be able to find time to care for a garden. I want to spend a certain amount of my time with my two children here, do some work around the house,and engage in activities of the Athletic Club. I don't know enough about gardening to start it now."

Mr. Leon Benefiel, 60-E Crescent Road."No...we'll be away on our vacation for one month in the summer and I'd find a fine crop of weeds instead of a garden, if I had one. Furthermore I think the gardens are too far away." Mrs. Benefiel: "I hope to have a flower garden, that is, if the kids can be brought under control. We've had our gardens in our day.... enough of them.....raised on a farm."

Mr. John Teel, 2-H Northway. "No, sir, not unless I get a better plot than I did last year. I had a mud farm. The soil was poor. One man put in two hours in the morning and two at night and his didn't turn out so good. Out here some of the vegetables walk away. I quit early. Those gardens are too far away from home. All through the south a man's garden is never more than 25 yards from his house."

Mr. Bernard Feig, 20-C Crescent Road. "I'd like to have one. My wife has always liked working around in a garden. She can grow some fresh vegetables for the babe. As a hobby and as a medium to work off some of the excess weight I hope to put on, a garden would be just the thing. The best form of relaxation. I'm all for tomatoes, which do very well out here."

Mr. John McWilliams, 3-D Eastway. "I'm going to have to take it easy this summer, and won't sweat over a garden. Besides, heh, heh, I'm a city boy."

Mr. A. T. Gay, 14-W Ridge Road. "Nothing I'd like better, but my working hours are too long, and with my work I do a lot of walking-- 25 miles a day at least. My son might have one, ask him. A friend of ours had a garden which turned out very well---and they brag a good deal about it."

Mrs. Robert L. Scott, 4-G Southway. "We're certainly going to have one if we can get one. Last year we put in a lot of work and felt repaid by it, although we felt we didn't have a very good plot. Ours wasn't ploughed well enough and we had to do a lot of spade work. It was worth it, though. I guess I'm just a country girl at heart! What tomatoes! Beans! Turnips!

·MRS·GREENBELT·

BETTER BUYERS LEADERS MEET

The Better Buyer Clubs leaders attended an enthusiastic meeting at the home of Mrs. Moore at 4-K Ridge Road.

Mrs. Raddant the chairman of the program committee for the "Frauds and Rackets" program to be given on Monday, February 13 discussed the plans they had made for it.

A very interesting report on the trip the leaders took to the Negro Cooperative in Northeast Washington was given. By visiting cooperatives near Greenbelt we are able to learn the methods used and if they seem successful we can apply them in developing our own cooperative.

A very lively discussion followed on whether we should approve "bally-hoo" or informational advertising for our stores. The subject pointed out the difficulty our stores are facing.

Mr. Donald Kane of the National Cooperative Council was present to discuss the Millard Tydings Bill.

He stated that 43 states are operating under the so called Fair Trades Law which according to Mr. Kane actually increases the price of everything the farmers and consumers buy. This law allows the manufacturer to fix the prices below which the retailer cannot go. For instance a highly advertised aspirin cannot be sold under 59¢ while an equally good aspirin under a different trade name is being sold at 17¢ according to Mr. Kane.

Macys Department store in New York has made records showing the actual increase in the cost of items in their store to have been from 10% to 40% after the law went into effect. He stated that while in rare cases it may have kept the retailer from selling a highly advertised aspirin for instance at 75¢ instead of 59¢, in most cases and nearly always in the larger cities it forced the prices up.

He stated this bill was sold to Congress on the grounds that it would protect the small dealer from the large chain stores, when in reality it gave the chain stores a double advantage namely that of being able to sell advertised brands at fixed prices and failing that could fall back on their own private brands. He pointed out that the national coop council was supported in their opposition to the bill by the Consumer Council in Baltimore and by the Maryland State Grange.

The announcement was made that Mr. Englander would give a financial report on the stores February 14 which should prove very interesting.

The next leaders' meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ruth Taylor on February 23.

HOME ECONOMICS CLASSES

New classes in Home Economics will be held weekly for ten weeks, beginning as follows:

Monday	Feb. 20	Advanced Dressmaking	8-10 P.M.
Tuesday	Feb. 21	Dressmaking, beginners or advanced	2-4 P.M.
Tuesday	Feb. 21	Nutrition	8-10 P.M.
Thursday	Feb. 23	Beginners Dressmaking	8-10 P.M.

The regular Wednesday evening class will be held on Thursday the first week, due to Washington's birthday.

MY SPORTS DIARY

Dear Diary,

Tuesday we had Basketball practice and from the looks of things our team is going through with flying colors. The team-work is improving with amazing speed. The forwards have worked out some signals that are really as surprising as they are deceiving. We have one guard who is absolutely a whiz (also very adept at giving black eyes) and no doubt about it. She is here, there, and everywhere at once. She plays until she is slightly rosy, (maybe it's from giggling), but no matter how much she giggles she is an all-round competent guard, her name: Miss Dorothy Mathers.

We also had a selection of uniforms to pick from, but we just took a look at them then, and went home to sleep on our choice.

With Thursday came the important question of whether or not we should all have the same style suit. It was natural that the basketball team have one style. Several of the women acted as models and your correspondent was quite surprised at the ease with which they presented themselves and the suits. Of the four styles presented, the one that was acclaimed by an almost unanimous vote was a one-piece suit with attached panties. The skirt, with four pleats in back as well as in front, was split to allow plenty of stretch. The free-action blouse was a button-up, but zippers were voted "in" and buttons "out". Our first color choice was an all white suit with a green zipper. Doesn't that sound darling? The second choice was an all white suit with a white zipper, and the third an acquamarine.

From the very little modeling that was observed, Miss Dungan would be doing something spectacular if she gave a fashion show of the summer sports togs, using our women athletes as models. (That's a brainstorm, but thinking it over, it's not such a bad idea at that.)

After absorbing the very detailed but interesting rules of Badminton, I was ready to practice what I preached. A chance did present itself, but my observation was that "hit the ball" was all my young hopefuls thought about. If symptoms are correct, there's mighty stiff work ahead for me.

The normalizing group was very large this week. (Goodnight! If some of those "nymphs" think they have to reduce, I wonder what I think I ought to do!)

So, until we gather again just for fun, I am

Still your correspondent,
Marjorie Jane Ketcham

P.S. We are all sorry Mrs. Jacobsen could not be present, but unforseen tragedy presented itself to her family. We all express our deepest sympathy for her.

The Nutrition Course will include such topics as how to plan economical meals which will keep the family healthy, feeding children, low cost recipes, cheap cuts of meat and methods of preparation, meat substitutes, and other cooking and nutrition problems, which the women may wish to take up.

Those interested in any of these classes may phone Mrs. Alpher or Mrs. Bessemer.

BETTER BUYERS

"Stretching the Clothing Dollar" was the topic which called the Better Buyers neighborhood group together for an evening of discussion at the home of Mrs. Rae Lewis, 19-D Ridge Road. Those present were Mesdames Finlay, Myers, Allen, Kogan, Livesay, Featherby, Duncan and Taylor.

When is a Bargain a Bargain? Of what use are Labels? What are Sign Posts of Quality? How can spots be removed? These were some of the interesting questions raised and answered.

Mrs. Finlay led the discussion off to a good start by telling the group that the game of dressing well can be played with much satisfaction even on a shoe-string income, when once the rules are known. These all important factors are: first, plan the wardrobe for each member of the family and keep within the budget. Second, buy with a plan, know how much you can spend, what you intend to buy, and stick to it when you get in the store. Third, take proper care of clothes, in the cleaning, storing and repairing methods.

How much should be spent on clothes depends on the income, thoughtful planning and management. The standard guide of 15% of the income varies to suit individual family requirements and naturally the smaller the income the smaller the per cent of income can go for clothes.

"Every garment in service", is a good slogan and what can no longer be used or made over should be discarded.

Mrs. Kogan pointed out a bargain is a bargain only when it serves the consumer as she expects and fits into her wardrobe plan and budget. Careful buyers may find bargains in sales of mill ends, samples, odd sizes, irregulars or seconds, and out of season merchandise. Thirty-five per cent is the average mark up over wholesale prices on clothing. Sales may save consumers some of this mark up but sales that offer 40% or 50% off should be questioned as no merchant can offer that much saving unless there are hidden reasons for disposing of the goods.

Good informative labeling concerning quality, kind and durability of fabric,color fastness,shrinkage, launder care and cleaning directions, are of utmost importance to the consumer. Few tags or labels carry all of this desired information but the shopper can ask questions and encourage their use.

Mrs. Livesay called the attention of amateur dress makers to the cutting and fitting service which yard goods departments offer.

Mrs. Featherby gave a very informative and valuable report on spot removing from an article in the May 9, 1938 issue of Consumers Guide, published by the Department of Agriculture.

The hostess served fruit and jello "Banana Splits" cookies and coffee to the happy bargain hunters.

The next meeting of the group will be held February 14 at the home of Mrs. Finlay, 19-K Ridge Road and the subject chosen for discussion is "Stretching the Food Dollar".

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BETTER BUYERS #13 AT TEA

Mrs. Glendon Allred was hostess of a very lovely tea served the Better Buyers group #13 on Tuesday, February 7.

At the conclusion of the tea the regular business of the group was taken up. Questions serving as a review were taken up before going on further in the study on cooperatives. A very close comparison was made with our set up here.

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Some of the questions asked were:

Why was the Credit Union not represented in the Institute since it is the only true cooperative in Greenbelt and is operating successfully enough to pay a four percent dividend with the possibility of paying 6% next year?

Why do you consider the Health Association is not a true cooperative?

In the event we should vote not to accept the managerial contract just what means will Consumer Distribution Corporation employ to protect the money they have involved?

A report was made on the suggestion made by Mr. Jacobsen that the study of dentrifices be taken up using the Consumers Union reports and other similar guides for information. It was felt this would serve to help our own group to become better informed and that we might make a display in the Drug Store window to act as informative advertising.

GREENBELT BASKETBALL LEAGUE

The eight teams of the Greenbelt Basketball League played the next to the last round of the schedule last Friday night at the school gym and four very interesting games were witnessed by those present.

Dartmouth and Juniata started the nights' activities with a very well played game, Dartmouth emerging the victor by the score of 36 to 30. The score was tied at the end of the game 28 to 28 and necessitated an overtime period. Dartmouth players proceeded to give the ball to Cockill and he won the game for his team by sinking 3 more baskets. Cockill was high man for the game and also for the night with 11 baskets for 22 points.

Brown then gave the fast stepping Carnegie boys a scare when they held them to 27 points. Carnegie finally won out 27 to 21 to stretch their winning streak to six games and hold their lead in the standing. Brown put up an excellent defense but it was not just good enough to stave off Carnegie's victory. High man in this game was Giersch with 8 points. Dawsey starred for Brown.

In the third game Joliet ran roughshod over Eton, and defeated them 38 to 19. Eton could not get started and only scored 7 points by half-time, against 20 for Joliet. Outstanding player in this game was Barker, who also was high man with 16 points.

In the final game Bucknell and Columbia fought it out tooth and nail, and when it was over, Columbia enjoyed a two point advantage, winning 27 to 25. Both teams played a very good game, Keagle, of Columbia, and Trumbule, of Bucknell, both outstanding individual players. Trumbule was also high man for this game with 6 baskets for 12 points.

J. C. M.

GREENBELT A. C. DEFEATS R. R. BOARD 41-32

The Greenbelt Athletic Club cagers returned to their winning form last Wednesday night February the 3rd, when they took the measure of the fast Railroad Retirement Board Quintet of the Community Center League at the Greenbelt School Gym by the score of 41 to 32. A capacity crowd witnessed a fast defensive game, which was Greenbelt's eleventh victory.

Outstanding player in the game was Curt Barker, guard, who was all over the court throughout the game, and whose stellar defensive work cut short several threatening R.R.B. rallies.

Greenbelt played a steady game, always working the ball under the basket as much as possible and not taking chances with long tosses. High score honors go to Giersch, whose fine baskets accounted for 10 of Greenbelt's points. The score at half-time was 21 to 10.

J. C. M.

BOX SCORE

GREENBELT	(41)	G	F	PTS	R.R.R.B.	(32)	G	F	PTS
Abrahims	F	2	0	4	Caruso	F	3	1	7
Cain	F	4	1	9	Chasen	F	1	1	3
McDonald	F	2	1	5	Bates	F	0	0	0
Blanchard	C	3	1	7	Habermeyer	C	2	2	6
Holochwost	C	1	0	2	Nyhlen	G	4	1	9
Giersch	G	5	0	10	Cohen	G	0	0	0
Barker	G	2	0	4	Russell	G	3	0	6
					Jones	G	0	1	1
Total		19	3	41	Total		13	6	32

REFEREE: Uhrinak.

GREENBELT QUINTET MEETS D & H SATURDAY

The next game of the Greenbelt Basketball team will be this Saturday, Feb. 18th at the School Gym., when our boys face the fast Delaware and Hudson Five.

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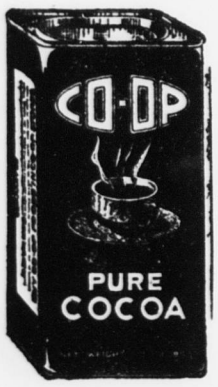

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STANDING OF THE TEAMS

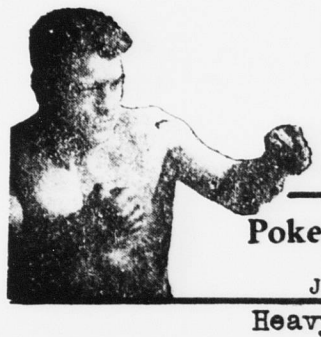
TEAM	WON	LOST	PCT
Carnegie	6	0	1.000
Joliet	5	1	.833
Brown	4	2	.667
Dartmouth	3	3	.500
Columbia	3	3	..500
Juniata	2	4	.333
Eton	1	5	.166
Bucknell	0	6	.000

FIVE INDIVIDUAL HIGH SCORERS

NAME	TEAM	GAMES	G	F	PTS
Cain	Carnegie	6	34	9	77
Giersch	Carnegie	6	29	4	62
Cockill	Dartmouth	4	27	4	58
Keagle	Columbia	6	26	1	53
Goldfadden	Juniata	3	25	2	52

BOX SCORE

DARTMOUTH	POS	G	F	PTS	JUNIATA	POS	G	F	PTS
Eisenbaugh	F	0	0	0	Conklyn	F	0	0	0
Emery	F	0	0	0	Fisher	F	0	0	0
Cockill	F	11	0	22	Sheets	F	5	0	10
Peeler	C	5	0	10	Kozar	C	0	1	1
Bauer	G	1	0	2	Devoe	G	1	0	2
Fleharty	G	1	0	2	Risley	G	8	1	17
Totals		18	0	36			14	2	30
CARNEGIE					BROWN				
Bradley	F	2	1	5	Dawsey	F	2	0	4
Cain	F	2	0	4	Jones	F	0	0	0
Abrahims	F	2	1	5	Neale	F	0	0	0
Allen	C	0	0	0	Heaton	F	2	1	5
Dickhaut	C	0	2	2	Ourand	F	0	0	0
Williams	G	1	1	3	Johnstone	C	2	0	4
Giersch	G	3	2	8	Sanchez	G	1	0	2
					Peterson	G	2	2	6
Totals		10	7	27			9	3	21
JOLIET					ETON				
Messner	F	1	0	2	Mathews	F	0	0	0
Chapman	F	1	0	2	Harris	F	1	0	2
Holochwost	F	5	0	10	Hitchcock	F	1	0	2
Barker	C	8	0	16	Donahue	F	1	0	2
Henes	G	1	0	2	Reamy	C	3	0	6
Gebhart	G	0	0	0	McDonald	G	1	0	2
Taylor	G	3	0	6	Marack	G	2	1	5
Totals		19	0	38			9	1	19
BUCKNELL					COLUMBIA				
Picket	F	0	1	1	Neblett	F	0	1	1
Sanders	F	1	0	2	Helfand	F	3	0	6
Schultz	C	4	0	8	Markfield	F	2	0	4
Fechler	G	1	0	2	O'Flaherty	C	0	0	0
Trumbule	G	6	0	12	Trattler	G	3	0	6
					Keagle	G	5	0	10
Totals		12	1	25			13	1	27



Pokes & Jabs

John Martone

Heavyweight Contenders

With the single exception of Lou Nova, the shining star from California, the boy who came nearest to knocking out Tommy Farr in their fight at Madison Square Garden, the recent crop of heavyweight contenders line up like a batch of overdue tickets in a pawn shop. On the strength of their present fighting ability there is no one among the present group of contenders who rightly deserves a shot at the heavyweight title.

Schmeling who knocked out Joe Louis three years ago can no longer be rated opposition for the Brown Bomber, who in turn knocked out the German fighter in one minute and forty-five seconds of the first round. Pugilistically speaking, Schmeling is an old man, and it is doubtful if he will be given another chance to fight Joe Louis. Of all heavyweight fighters, Schmeling was without doubt greatly underrated. Champion at one time and later leading contender he was made a victim of time and lost his big chance of regaining the title when champion Jim Braddock refused to give him a fight with the title at stake.

Max Baer the man from Livermore, California, who had everything but a fighting heart, should have been dumped out of professional prize-fighting when he took a dive to save himself further punishment in his sorry showing against Joe Louis. The man, Max Baer who looked like a million dollars against Carnera, the man who had the strength of a Hercules and the profile of a matinee idol is no longer a threat to the dark angel of destruction. No mention should be made of a return fight between Joe Louis and Max Baer.

Tony Galento the hop and malt fighter from across the river in New Jersey has neither the mental nor physical adjustment to make a great fighter. In my preceeding article I stated that Galento could be dismissed as a contender for the title. I still hold to that. It is quite likely that some Boxing Commission will sanction a fight between Galento and Joe Louis. In permitting such a match the Commissioners would be guilty of criminal negligence and in fighting Joe Louis, Tony Galento would be committing a form of premeditated suicide.

Next week I shall eliminate Lou Nova as the possible successor to Joe Louis.

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Calendar Of Events

Thursday, February 16		
Orchestra Practice	7:30 P.M.	Music Room
Hobby Club	7:30 P.M.	,Work Shop
Women's Gym	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Commercial Courses	7-10:00 P.M.	High School
Industrial Arts	7-10:00 P.M.	High School
Adult Art Class	8:00 P.M.	Room 223
Mother's Club	8:00 P.M.	Social Room
American Legion	8:00 P.M.	Meeting Room
Friday, February 17		
Hebrew Congregation	8:30 P.M	Music Room
Pack #5	4:00 P.M.	3 B Eastway
Credit Union	6:30-8:30 P.M.	Meeting Room
C.O.C.	6:30-8:30 P.M.	Meeting Room
Accounting	7:00-9:00 P.M.	Room 225
Boy Scouts	7:30 P.M.	Social Room
Radio Club	7:30 P.M.	Room 223
Men's Gym	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Saturday, February 18		
Children's Gym	9:00 A.M.	Auditorium
" Art Class	10:00 A.M.	Social Room
Adult " "	2:00 P.M.	48 Crescent Rd.
Greenbelt Bowling League	3:00 P.M.	Hyattsville
Sunday, February 19		
Mass	9:00 A.M.	Theater
Community Sunday School	9:30 A.M.	Auditorium
" Church	11:00 A.M.	Auditorium
Music Hour	5:00 P.M.	Theater
Young People's Society	6:30 P.M.	Social Room
L. D. Saint's Church	8:00 P.M.	Social Room
Monday, February 20		
Bible Class	7:30 P.M.	Music-223-225
Political Problems	7:00-9:00 P.M.	20D Crescent Rd.
Garden Club	8:00 P.M.	Social Room
Home Economics	8:00 P.M.	Economics Room
Tuesday, February 21		
Girl Scout Troop #17	3:15 P.M.	Social Room
Women's Basketball	6:30 P.M.	Auditorium
Men's Gym	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Adult Art	8:00 P.M.	Rooms 223-225
Bridge Club	8:00 P.M.	Hobby Club
Commercial Courses	7:00-10:00 P.M.	High School
Industrial Courses	7:00-10:00 P.M.	High School
Home Economics	8:00 P.M.	Economic Room
Quartet	8:00 P.M.	Music Room
Catholic Party	8:00 P.M.	Social Room
Wednesday, February 22		
Holiday		

Dr. Berenberg's Office Hours

Following are Dr. Berenberg's office hours at the Medical Center:

Monday.....10-12; 4-6
Tuesday.....10-12; 7:30-8:30
Wednesday.....10-12
Thursday.....10-12; 4-6
Friday.....10-12; 7:30-8:30
Saturday.....10-12
Sunday.....12-1 By appointment
Phone: 2121

Dr. McCarl's (Dentist) Office Hours

Dr. McCarl's office hours are as follows:

Monday.....9:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Tuesday.....9:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
7:00 - 9:30 P.M.
Wednesday.....Closed
Thursday.....9:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Friday.....9:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
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GREENBELT BOWLING LEAGUE NEWS

For the first time this season the revamped Eagles scored a clean sweep over the floundering Bears, and in so doing, climbed to a tie for sixth place thereby dumping their adversaries into the cellar that they recently occupied. This unusual jump from 8th to 6th position in one fell swoop is a record in the annals of the league.

Despite having broken their own seasonal high team set record by thirty pins, the Drakes dropped the odd tilt to the steadily-climbing Cobras only because they failed to distribute their pinfall more evenly, their main display of natural power being concentrated in the final game of 552, bettering their former mark by 12 pins.

The Beavers gained another game in the race for the leadership, a race that is tightening extensively and providing excitement in every department of the game. Victims of the Beavers were the Jeeps, the same Jeeps who seemed due for a temporary letdown, judging from the latter's recent breath-taking pace. In this contest Bob Temple provided further evidence of his individual leadership by bowling 128-116-129-373.

The Cardinals emerged from their protracted slump in time to capture the odd skirmish from the hard-fighting Alligators.

	WON	LOST
Beavers	40	17
Drakes	37	20
Cobras	34	23
Cardinals	30	27
Alligators	26	31
Eagles	21	36
Jeeps	21	36
Bears	19	38

Hi team set -- Beavers 1,573; Drakes 1,530; Cobras 1,517.

Hi team game -- Beavers, 564; Drakes,552; Cobras 539.

Hi ind. average -- Temple (Beavers), 116-8; DeJager (Drakes), 104-32; MacEwen (Beavers), 103-40.

Hi ind. set -- Meek,(Drakes),387; Temple,(Beav-34s), 383; Dejager (Drakes),354.

Hi ind. game -- MacEwen (Beavers), 142; Temple (Beavers), 141; Brown (Drakes), 140.

Hi ind. strikes -- Temple (Beavers), 27; Brown (Drakes), 24; Lastner (Cobras), 21.

Hi ind. spares -- Temple (Beavers), 151; DeJager (Drakes),109;Brown (Drakes),100.

THUMBNAIL SKETCHES OF OUR BOWLERS

by

CJS in cahoots with SHD

(Note: Can you, by even the greatest stretch of imagination, picture this group of Drakes and ducklings waddling and quacking for all their worth? You can? Boy, are you good! Anyhow, here are your flat-foot floogies).

DRAKES

BAUER (83-3):- Did we mention quake? You should have heard him when he made his first - and only - spare. Why, he threw out his chest at this miraculous feat so vehemently he knocked over four spectators! Such vanity.

BROWN (103-55):- A sweet bowler and a horse for work. Has a cannonball delivery that is the envy of many. Orchids to him for having often said, "We're in there to win; but may the best team win, regardless." This is the spirit that seems to "Take" in the league.

DeJAGER (104-32):- Santa was good to the Drakes for having given them such a great guy and bowler as Fred (Santa) DeJager. Sometimes seems greatly crestfallen when his game doesn't go so well; but, just the same, he is in there trying all the time. We're particularly pleased with the sincere way in which he sympathizes with his adversaries when they play into hard luck. Bravo, Fred.

EMERY (91-43):- The Captain of the team having the greatest number of marksmen. Pretty soft, isn't it, Ed? However, don't get too cocky and expect to gander (pun) with the high prizes without a struggle. Ed is a good bowler, but a better bridge player.

MEEK (99-51):- One of the Three Musketeers. The guy that tops the league for high set. Was he feeling swell that day, and we do mean sa-well! Doing a might fine job as bowler and league treasurer.

SLUSSER (90-3):- Keeps haunting the Bus Station, scanning the individual records, hoping against hope he may yet overtake other leaders for individual prizes. If he doesn't cop one of the prizes, it won't be because he hasn't tried. Takes the game just a little too seriously.

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Next week we will pluck a few tail feathers from the high (?) soaring Eagles.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

Howard Sidwell moved to Kansas from 4-A Hillside on February 11,and Thomas Jeffries will move in February 17.

Dr. Christensen has left Greenbelt and Dr. Berenber will move into 7 Woodland this week.

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Our objective is to have America know itself and to have Americans be jealous of the liberties which they enjoy.

There are too many in our land who have never caught the true spirit of Americanism. These are the enemies of our democratic beliefs and principles. They are not only the enemies of the people of today, but also, of the generation to follow. The Legion has accepted their challenge and will pull no punches in exposing and bringing to public notice such individuals and organizations,for it is such as these who would set up some form of dictatorship born on some foreign soil.

The Legion does in no sense abridge free speech or independence of thought, but we do declare limits beyond which freedom of speech should not gó. No individual and no group of individuals have the right in a democracy to counsel strife and violence as a means of settling our public problems.

Toward those beyond our shores,we have redeclared our desire to see a world at peace, but until they can see the way of life as we see it, we have redeclared that America shall have a national defense capable of meeting any enemy or any emergency. We hope that our country can be kept from involvement in the strife and war that today beset some of the nations of the earth, and like an uncontrolled fire, promise to spread to others.

We are men of experience in the way of war. We know the history and outcome of the past. We do not propose to stand idly by and allow such wars to occur again. We shall serve in time of peace just as in time of war. We stand for strong neutrality laws and do not propose to enter into the conflict between those nations who are fighting for the supremacy of their type of dictatorial government. We do propose that America shall keep honorable peace and by example afford to the other nations of earth the hope that through democracy and democratic institutions the world may some day reach the goal of permanent and enduring peace.

Let us understand our ideals and then set an example to others toward real peace by our true Americanism.

Our position is that we will not tell any citizen how he should think, but we shall reserve the right and put forth all energies that our children shall not be influenced by such thinking. We shallmake it our duty that each child shall have the benefit of an American education, uncontaminated by instructors who fail to realize or appreciate the genius of our government.

The next regular post meeting will be Thursday February 16th, at 8:00 P.M.

The Greenbelt American Legion Post #136
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You Ought to Know That

by
Charles J. Spector

Water is the greatest of all solvents inasmuch as it will dissolve to a greater or lesser extent virtually all substances with which it comes in contact.

The Lichi nut can be grown successfully only in southern China, Cochin-China and the Philippines.

The Bureau of Home Economics suggests that the following raw vegetables be fed to young choldren: grated carrots, chopped watercress, peeled tomatoes, finely chopped celery, chopped lettuce and finely chopped cabbage.

The oldest horseshoes that have been found date from the sixth centruy B.C.

A tooth of one of the cave-dwelling Neanderthal men, who lived in Europe some 50,000 years ago, has been acquired by the Field Museum in Chicago, and is valued highly because few original remains of that age have been permitted to leave the countries where they were found.

Shrubs planted around a house should be set at least 20 inches from the foundations, lest they suffer from too much dryness.

Two seedless watermelon were produced in North Dakota at an agricultural experiment station last year.

A Polish village that stood on a marshy island about 600 B.C. has been unearthed; the streets and lower portions of houses were found remarkably preserved.

Rickets rarely develops in a human being after the first two years of life.

Early Greeks in Homer's day looked upon milk as food for mere barbarians.

GARDEN CLUB NOTES

Those residents who are planning to have a vegetable garden this year will not want to miss the monthly meeting of the Garden Club this coming Monday, February 20, at 8 o'clock in the school social room. Dr. W. R. Beattie, of the U. S. Department of Agriculture will be on hand to tell of "New and Improved Varieties of Vegetables for the Home Garden". The research work and experiments carried on by the various government agencies and colleges throughout the country have aided materially in taking a lot of the guess-work out of home gardening. The information that Dr. Beattie will give should be of inestimable value in aiding us to choose for our gardens, varieties which are best suited to local soil and climatic conditions.

Following Dr. Beattie's talk the club will nominate and elect officers for the ensuing year.

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